

## GONE 31 YEARS, TURNS UP AGAIN

Long-Missing Chicago Educator  
Returns Suddenly to His  
Family.

## CARRIED BIG ROLL OF MONEY

"Ask Me No Questions," He Told  
Wife, and Wish Is Being  
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(By Associated Press.)  
CHICAGO, August 13.—After an unexplained absence of thirty-one years, Professor Charles H. Frye, formerly superintendent of the Chicago Normal School, returned yesterday to Chicago. One of his first acts, after his arrival at his home, was to hand fifty \$100 bills to his wife with the remark: "Ask me no questions."

Frye was thirty-one years old when he disappeared. Since that day no word had been received from him by his wife. He was recognized immediately in spite of his added years and altered appearance. He is said to have made money in the Philippine Islands, where he resided for several years.

The wish that no questions be asked him regarding his wanderings has been respected, and he has settled down at home as though nothing had happened.

## SULTAN IMPROVING.

Promotes Palace Doctor to Rank  
of General.

(By Associated Press.)  
CONSTANTINOPLE, August 13.—It is stated that the Sultan passed a good night and that his condition this morning is somewhat improved. His reluctance to submit to treatment has hitherto complicated the situation, but one of the palace doctors has induced him to allow the employment of a simple appliance which gave immediate relief. The doctor, in recognition of his services, has been promoted to the rank of general.

## KING TO MEET KAISER.

Endless Speculation As to Political  
Significance of Event.

(By Associated Press.)  
LONDON, August 13.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra returned to London today from Cowes to prepare for the King's annual trip to Marlborough, on which he will start to-morrow.

The King will cross the channel in the royal yacht Victoria and Albert to Flushing, whence a special train will convey him to Friedrichshof, where he will meet Emperor William August 15th. There has been endless speculation on the political significance of the meeting of the monarchs.

## Virginians in Paris.

PARIS, August 13.—Miss Mary Anderson and John S. and Mrs. Muncie, of Richmond, and Miss Eleanor Hillard, of Norfolk, registered at the New York Hotel today.

## Green Bay Improvements.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
GREEN BAY, WIS., August 13.—The town of August 11th from this place, the Ward Lumber Company, of Lynchburg, was erecting houses here, was an error. Mr. C. J. Sheehy, manager of the Sheehy Lumber Company, is having the improvements made.

## Pianos

We are now located in  
our new store.

**205  
East Broad  
Street,**

where extensive improvements and alterations are now in progress. Before moving we disposed of a great portion of our fine stock of pianos at the recent "Renovated Sale" which we have been holding, and we have decided to continue these big discounts during the alteration of our new store.

We, therefore, offer great values in the purchase of High-Grade Pianos for the next few weeks.

Call in and examine our stock, or write to us.

**Chas. M.  
Stieff**

(Established 1842.)

**205  
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**L. B. Slaughter  
Manager.**

**PERSIA'S ASSEMBLY.**

Grand Vizier Will Draw Up the  
Rules of Procedure.

(By Associated Press.)  
TEHRAN, August 13.—The Shah's rescript to the Grand Vizier, as finally amended August 10th, ordering the formation of a national consultative assembly composed of representatives of all classes, from the princes downward. The assembly will advise the Shah of important state and public affairs and will propose reforms and amendments to the laws of the country. Justice will be administered in accordance with the sacred law. The Grand Vizier is to draw up the rules of procedure for the assembly, and these are to be approved by the assembly itself.

**CRUELTY TO CHILDREN**

Father Hanged Son by Thumbs  
and Tied Tongue With  
Wire.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
RENTON, August 13.—Because Reginald Hasbrouck, 10 years old, threatened to tell the police of his father's extreme cruelty toward him the boy's tongue and tightened it up with a stick until the lad became almost paralyzed. Patrolman Walter Green arrested the father, Albin Hasbrouck, who is 30 years old, and he was refused bail last night.

The arrest discloses a story of cruel and inhuman treatment covering a period of about seven years. In which the boy's mother was not spared. It is charged that she was compelled to go to a hospital in several occasions after her husband had beaten her, but she always refused to have him arrested.

The treatment of the boy, it is alleged, consisted of hanging him by the thumbs, depriving him of his meals and whipping him in a most inhuman manner.

The neighbors are up in arms, and will endeavor to have the boy placed in an institution and the father severely punished.

**Child in Iowa Chained to Floor  
by His Heartless  
Parent.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
IOUX CITY, IOWA, August 13.—Chained to the floor with the coarse iron about his unprotected ankles, and only latitude sufficient to permit him to recline uncomfortably on a hard couch, the thirteen-year-old son of Jens Nielsen was found by the police. The officers had been called by neighbors.

The Nielsens talk little English. The best explanation of the brutality which the officers are able to get is that the boy ran away, and his father, who works in a local packing house, caught him, beat him severely and chained him to the floor, where he remained, it is said, for several days.

**Upgraded, Killed Himself.**

SCRANTON, PA., August 13.—Susie Galloway, of Throop, committed suicide because her father had scolded her.

She was out in the garden where, with a revolver which she found in the house, she shot herself in the ear.

The father found fault with the girl for keeping company with a young man of whom he did not approve. The parent saw the two together and made the girl go home with him.

**STRUCK SNAG AT  
FIRST MEETING**

Practical Common Sense and  
Sentiment Clash at Social-  
ist Colony Gathering.

PROGRESS HAS BEEN MADE  
Promoters Seek to Form Common  
Home in Westchester or New  
Jersey on Bellamy Lines.

(By Associated Press.)  
NEW YORK, August 13.—Members and those interested in the New York Home Colony Association met yesterday afternoon and last night at the West Side Branch Y. M. C. A., in West Fifty-seventh Street, to discuss and formulate the general principles upon the association or corporation is to be founded.

Upton Sinclair, author of "The Jungle," is the moving spirit in the project, and associated with him are several other persons prominent in socialistic and philanthropic circles. Fundamentally, Mr. Sinclair and his associates propose to establish a colony of congenial persons in New Jersey or Westchester county, where they expect to work out a scheme of improved domestic conditions. They intend to purchase five or six hundred acres of land and to establish there a model community.

Progress Made.

Considerable progress has been made, and the members are now at work on recommendations made by three committees: viz: Organization, Labor and Children. These committees have made forty-five recommendations, which are now being digested, and later the permanent structure must be approved by all members and the association incorporated.

To the outsider, unfamiliar with the technique of such undertakings, the discussion of principles sound very much like a discussion of Edward Bellamy's "Looking Backward," a romance founded on socialism, that made a stir in this country twenty years ago. The colony or community is to have control of everything collectively. The children are to be cared for in a separate building. All servants are to be paid out of a common fund, and there are to be common kitchens and common dining-halls. Everything will be arranged with a view to simplifying domestic problems.

All business affairs of the colony are to be handled through a central office, and estimates have been prepared showing that the ordinary citizen of New York, with a moderate income, may reduce the expenses of living nearly one-half, and enjoy, according to the expectations of the promoters, twofold as much of the comforts of life by becoming a member of the association.

Struck Snag.

Membership costs \$10, but a share of stock will cost \$1,000. Upon this point the members struck a snag in their discussion last night. The question arose as to whether they should organize under the membership corporation law or the stock corporation law. Mr. Sinclair and a majority of the members present strongly favored the membership corporation, as that seemed more in keeping with the spirit of the thing, but P. W. Sparks, a lawyer member, pointed out that they could not transact a business as they proposed unless they were incorporated under the stock corporation act.

Practical common sense and sentiment clashed over the thing for an hour or more. Other meetings will be held during the week, and all of the perplexing questions will be threshed out by the various committees and then submitted to the members for final adoption.

**GOSSIP IN THE  
REALTY MARKET**

Men of Means Who Invest in  
Real Estate Are Out  
Summering.

BIG FALL BUSINESS AHEAD  
Several Interesting Auction Sales  
Are Announced for the  
Current Week.

(No, we are making no sales and we are glad of it. We need a little time to straighten up books and other things, to look after rents; to see to the repairs that our renters are clamoring for, and to do a whole lot of other things necessary to be done before we get busy with the fall business, as undoubtedly we will have to do in a short while, that is to say, in about a month.)

Thus spoke an agent who does an immense amount of real estate business from one year's end to another. This agent, having opened his mouth to make a few remarks, continued: "What is the use of trying to make sales when more than half the people who have money to invest in real estate are out of town and are therefore taking no interest at all in what is going on. But they will be back as soon as the first cooling of the market, and then we will be able to sell the property they will be eager for business. There will be no trouble to sell Richmond property this fall."

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